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Dear Sir:

In connection with the filing of the above referenced patent application on October 02, 2003, attorneys for applicants submit the enclosed Information Disclosure Statement (PTO Form 1449) and its foreign references together with a copy of the European Search Report:

1. EP 0 324 118A, including an English abstract – 13 pages;
2. EP 0 453 853A2, including an English abstract – 18 pages;
3. 080121151 – Japanese patent – English abstract only – 1 page;

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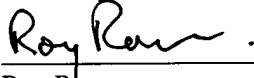
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Request is hereby made to accept the enclosed documents and have them made a part of applicant's file.

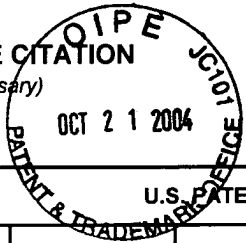
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